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MEMORANDUM FOR CENTAF MEDICAL UNITS

FROM: CENTAF-AUAB/SG (Lt Col Smallwood)

SUBJECT: Air Force Medical Service Policy on Operation IRAQI FREEDOM Depleted Uranium (DU) Medical Management (SG Policy Letter #03-003)

1. The HAF/SG memorandum dated 14 Aug 03 (attachment), same subject, directs procedures for managing personnel potentially exposed to DU during Operation Iraqi Freedom. Please ensure your staff is familiar with this information as necessary to appropriately identify, evaluate, and medically treat patients with potential DU exposure.
2. My point of contact is the CENTAF(F) Bioenvironmental Engineer, CENTAF(F)/SGB, DSN (318) 436-4112 or email bee@auab.aorcentaf.af.mil.

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Attachment:

HAF/SG Memo, 14 Aug 03, w/atch